## Toyota Prius Hybrid Electric Vehicle Accelerated Reliability Testing (Model Year 2004) – December 2005

Two (Model Year 2004) Toyota Prius hybrid electric vehicles (HEVs) entered Accelerated Reliability in one fleet in Arizona during November 2003. Each vehicle will be driven 160,000 miles (Accelerated Reliability testing). After reaching 160,000 miles each, the two Prius HEVs will have their fuel efficiencies retested on dynamometers (with and without air conditioning) and their batteries will be capacity tested.

One page, vehicle fact sheets and maintenance logs have been posted for the HEVs on nearby www pages. The information includes: miles driven, fuel economy, operations and maintenance requirements, operating costs, life-cycle costs, and any unique driving issues.

The two (Model Year 2004) Prius HEVs have been driven a total of 115,571 miles and the cumulative average fuel economy for the Prius HEVs is 44.5 miles per gallon.



